

REMARKS

Applicants have studied the Office Action dated January 9, 2004, and have made amendments to the claims. Claims 1-10 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 11-18 remain pending in the application. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the above amendments and the following remarks are respectfully requested. Applicants submit that the application, as amended, is in condition for allowance.

In response to the restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121, Applicants elect for continued prosecution of the Group III claims (i.e., claims 11-18) drawn to a method for sending a notification based on distance with details thereof. To advance prosecution, Applicants have cancelled claims 1-10 without prejudice.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the application and the claims are in condition for allowance. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.


The Examiner is respectfully requested to direct future correspondence regarding this application to the undersigned attorney at the address below.

PLEASE CALL the undersigned attorney at (561) 989-9811 should the Examiner believe a telephone interview would advance prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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